

NAWILIWILI IS AGAIN TO FRONT

(Special Washington correspondence of THE GARDEN ISLAND.)

Washington, D. C., March 9th:—Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, today offered amendments to the Rivers and Harbors bill providing for an appropriation of \$200,000, for the improvement of the "reserved channel" to the extent of providing a channel 800 feet wide, and 35 feet deep at mean low water and extending 1000 feet from Honolulu Harbor along the reserved channel towards Kapalama Basin; \$200,000 for constructing a breakwater at Nawiliwili Harbor in accordance with the report of the War Department published in the 62nd Congress, and permitting the Secretary to enter into contracts to prosecute the work on this project to an amount not to exceed \$886,000, exclusive of the \$200,000, proposed by the amendment; \$100,000 for constructing the West breakwater at Kahului Harbor, and authorizing the Secretary of War to prosecute the work to an amount of \$150,000, exclusive of the \$100,000 proposed by the amendment.

If the Senate Committee on Commerce, to whom these amendments are referred, should open up the Rivers and Harbors bill for new projects, it is possible that one if not all of the Hawaiian projects will be included in the bill.

Some doubt is expressed that there will be a Rivers and Harbors bill enacted into law during the present session, or if there should be it will be in the form of a resolution providing a blanket sum to be placed at the disposal of the War Department for continuing work upon projects upon which work has been commenced.

Sunday's Baseball

There was an exciting game preliminary to the regular series in the military baseball league at Lihue park Sunday afternoon, the competitors being the crack team of the Hospital Corps and the team of Company B (Filipinos). The Hospital Corps men had things all their own way until the last inning, piling up nine runs. Toward the last, however, Company B came to life and put six men across the plate in short order.

Manager J. R. Myers, of Kilaua plantation, returned home from Honolulu Friday morning. He brought along with him a new Buick car.

More Uniforms Arrive

Eighteen cases, containing 250 additional National Guard uniforms, arrived in the steamer Maui Friday morning from Honolulu. These will be distributed at once to companies that happen to be short. Another large shipment will arrive in the near future.

Postoffice Inspector Thomas J. Flavin arrived at Lihue in the steamer Maui Friday morning to make a complete, official tour of the island. He will be here a week or ten days.

Henry, Not Percy

Last week's issue made it appear that P. A. Gorman had taken charge as manager of the store of the Kauai Trading Company, at Koloa. The new manager is H. Gorman, for many years identified with Honolulu business houses and well known throughout the Islands, he having travelled all of them in the capacity of salesman.

P. A. Gorman, of Theo. H. Davies & Co., arrived in the steamer Maui Friday morning for a business tour of Kauai.

NOTICE

The Public Utilities Commission of Hawaii will begin an investigation of the affairs of the Waiahi Electric Company, Limited, under the provisions of Section 2225 of the Revised Laws of Hawaii, 1915, on Wednesday, April 5, 1916, on which day at 2 p. m., a public hearing will be held in the Commission's office, Kauaikeolani Building, Honolulu, T. H., and from time to time thereafter, of which notice will be given, as the investigation may require. The public is invited to attend such meetings and to present any matter pertinent to such investigation. Formal and informal complaints will be assigned special days for hearing. Form of formal complaints and the requirements as to informal complaints may be had by applying to the Commission's office by mail or otherwise.

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By its Chairman,
CHARLES R. FORBES
Honolulu, T. H., March 10, 1916.
March 14-21-28 April 4.

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Mar. 14 to April 4th.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
FIFTH CIRCUIT, TERRITORY
OF HAWAII.

At Chambers—in Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of
Wong Hoy, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned, D. Wm. Dean, the duly appointed and qualified administrator of the estate of Wong Hoy, deceased, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against the estate of the said Wong Hoy, deceased, to present such claims, duly authenticated, and with proper vouchers, if any exist, even though such claims be secured by mortgage of real estate, to the undersigned, at his place of business, Lihue, County of Kauai, Territory of Hawaii, within six months from the day they fall due, or such claims will be forever barred. Dated at Lihue, this 14th day of March 1916.

D. WM. DEAN

Administrator of the Estate of
Wong Hoy, deceased.
March 14-21-28, April 4.

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Lenten Philosophy--The Ecstasy of Life



Lent is supposed to come to us clad in gray garments. It is a sober time, a time for serious reflection and meditation. To speak at such a time of the ecstasy of life may seem to some a little out of place.

But why cannot Lenten meditation bring to us a sense of the ecstasy of life? And if it does, will not our meditation have been worth while?

If we enjoy life thoughtlessly will it not be worth while to discover, if we can, the laws that make joyous life a possibility? Then nothing can take this joy from us, for law is unchangeable. A mere ephemeral sense of joy in life might be swept away by disaster. A joy that is built on a foundation of unchanging cause cannot be shaken.

If we find no joy in life but see it only as a dreary monotony or endless grind, perhaps a study of some of the fundamental things regarding it may show us this ecstasy of which our best thinkers speak.

For many of our soundest thinkers do tell us of the ecstasy of life. They are not people who use words merely to make pleasant phrases. They would deem it unworthy of themselves not to express their honest convictions. And they firmly believe that living, and by this they mean true living which is the only real life, is joy.

This is what one of them says, "The right sort of education would make life not a mystery but an ecstasy; not a puzzle, but a paean of praise."

And Emerson, that great philosopher, says succinctly, "Life is an ecstasy."

And the Book of Books is full of messages of joy. And we could not be joyful, we could not rejoice, if life, which for each of us is the expression of self, was not joyful.

There must be some sound good reasons, then, for this joy of life of which those whose judgments we can trust, tell us. And wouldn't it be well in these days of meditation to seek for these reasons so that ephemeral joy may be lasting and gloom become gladness?

Each one will reach the desired end by a different route. Each one must "work out his own salvation," for each has the problems of his own nature to wrestle with.

But will it not help to take up these problems one by one and dissect them and see what is the substance in them that is keeping one from finding life an ecstasy. These problems need picking thoroughly to pieces. They are often many sided. But if we will be honest with ourselves we will find often there is not a shred in them of anything substantial to stand between us and the joy of life.

And this is true because life itself is essentially joyous and harmonious; and if it is not so in our experience it is because we have built up obstacles to its thus expressing itself. For it is our spirit after all that determines what we get from life. And we can rule our spirit if we will; or rather, our spirit or our self has the power, if we will exert it, to know the fundamental truths of life and to take from them and make our own, their joy-giving essence.

To make partial application of all this, take for instance the problem that troubles many of us, the lack of money. If we haven't enough money, we can know primarily by searching the "deep thing of good," that the mere possession of money does not necessarily mean happiness. But we can furthermore pick fully to pieces this problem of why we have not all we need and in so doing will very probably find a remedy for this condition. Mind, true mind, can overcome inharmonious conditions, and if we would use our intelligence fully, many of the things that seem to shut out from us joy in living would melt away.

And what is true of this one problem is true of all problems. We need to go at them honestly, earnestly and with all our mind. And if we do so, joy in life will come to us in much greater measure than we have it at present. For it is "good that worketh in us to will and to do of its own good pleasure."

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NATIONAL GUARD ATTENTION.

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Mr. Wong Hock Shi was formerly army tailor at Schofield Barracks, Oahu, at which place he gave great satisfaction.

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